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Applicant: Ib Mendel-Hartvig et al : Paper No.:
Serial No.: 09/582,808 : Group Art Unit: 1641
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For: **Analytical Method Using Particles and Test Kit for Performing the Method**

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal the Examiner's final rejection of claims 42-83 as set forth in the Official Action dated February 24, 2004.

The government appeal fee of \$330.00 should be charged to our Visa credit card.

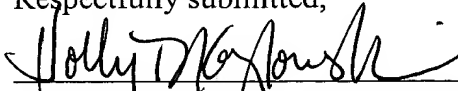
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